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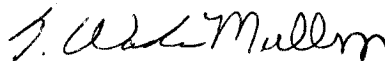
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**Re: SMI Steel – South Carolina  
SCE&G Annual Review of Base Rates for Fuel Costs  
Docket No. 2006-2-E  
Our File No.: 7-1497-100**

Dear Mr. Terreni:

SMI Steel – South Carolina's prefiled testimony is due to be filed on March 15, 2006. SMI is respectfully requesting a one day extension of time in which to file its testimony until March 16, 2006. South Carolina Energy Users Committee and South Carolina Office of Regulatory Staff do not oppose this request. We have contacted counsel for SCE&G to obtain its consent and they have not yet responded. I appreciate the Commission's consideration of this request and ask that you contact me should you have any questions or concerns.

Sincerely yours,



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